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INTRUMPET TONES.

If ever an unmistakable voice was uttered on any question THE TIMES utters it this morning. Not only a large number of the leading citizens of Roanoke but the Real Estate Exchange, the most representative body in the city, declares emphatically, for the advisory board and proper guarantees around the bond ordinances. There is no mistake about it.

If the Council is composed of men who recognize that it is solely as representatives of the people that they hold office and exercise their functions, then they should at to-night's meeting adopt the advisory board plan unanimously.

They should do this for every reason. Not a single sound argument has been or can be advanced against the advisory board plan. No lawyer of reputation will question its legality. No man of affairs will question its soundness from a business point of view. No man who is familiar with the progress of public improvements in cities will deny that this plan presents the merits with few of the defects of a board of public works.

The issue will be settled to-night. Either the Council will protect itself and the interests of the people by granting what the people are asking for, or the bond ordinances will go by the board.

THROUGH TO WASHINGTON.

The Senate bill authorizing the Norfolk and Western railroad to enter the District of Columbia passed the House late Saturday night. It drops the Washington and Cumberland rider which was placed on it in the Senate. This complicates matters, as the bill is thrown into conference thereby. There is, however, time for the bill to become a law provided no obstructions are purposely thrown in its way.

In due time Roanoke and Washington will see a through train service over the Norfolk and Western lines. When that time comes the most beautiful city in the world and the smartest city in the world will become better acquainted.

SHALL IT BE DONE?

If this matter of public improvements can be settled satisfactorily, Roanoke's future is assured. She can then go on safely and improve until she is the most complete city in the South, with the assurance that every dollar spent in public improvements will add two dollars directly to her wealth and indirectly far more than two.

THE SOUTHERN EVANGELIST.

The Southern Evangelist is the name of a handsome religious journal that has made its appearance in Roanoke. The first issue of 10,000 copies is a twelve-page paper, well filled with interesting reading matter and a liberal share of advertising patronage. It will hereafter be issued bi-weekly in an eight-page form.

Rev. J. E. Bushnell a prominent Lutheran minister, late pastor of St. Mark's Church, this city, and synodical missionary, who is known as a writer of ability, is the editor and manager of the newspaper that starts out so auspiciously. He will be assisted by an able staff of writers, and will give the Southern and Eastern States a first-class religious newspaper. THE TIMES extends a fraternal greeting to Rev. Mr. Bushnell and his paper.

THE TIMES notes with pleasure the interest which the colored citizens are taking in the bond ordinances. Their meeting was characterized by good sense and good judgment. Resolutions which would in the end be prejudicial to them were emphatically voted down. Ask nothing out of reason and are led to what they ask.

Growth of Roanoke is reflected in many ways. Four years ago the Episcopal Church South was a small congregation of 240. Since that time a house of worship has been paid for, the membership is nearly 900, four flourishing

ing Sunday schools are sustained and the building of two more fine churches is contemplated. The church has caught the spirit of progress that pervades everything in Roanoke.

THE CLOSING HOURS.

Legislation in Congress Rushed at Full Speed.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—[Special]—As the session draws to a close the pressure on Congress increases in intensity. Only the appropriation bills have any certainty of passage. In the Senate to-day the general deficiency and agricultural appropriation bills were reported for consideration. The House amendments to the postal aid bill were reported and Senator Morrill moved to concur, stating that if the measure went to conference it might never emerge.

A hot debate ensued, in which the Democrats generally opposed the concurrence. Several amendments were suggested and promptly voted down. Finally the vote was taken on Morrill's motion to concur, and it was carried by a vote of 37 to 33, Senators Morgan and Pugh, of the Democratic side, supporting it and Senators Cameron, Frye, Hale, Mitchell, Moody, Pettigrew, Plumb, Teller and Wolcott, of the Republicans, voting against it. The bill now goes to the President.

Senator Manderson was elected President pro tem to succeed Mr. Ingalls, and Mr. Gorman offered a resolution tendering the thanks of the Senate to Mr. Ingalls for the eminently, courteous, dignified, able, and absolutely impartial manner in which he has presided over its deliberations and performed the duties of President pro tempore. Both resolutions were agreed to, and the oath of office was administered by the Vice-President to Mr. Manderson, who was escorted to the desk by Mr. Ingalls.

House bill relating to the treaty of reciprocity with the Hawaiian Islands was passed. Also the House joint resolution appropriating a million dollars for improvement of the Mississippi river, to be immediately available. The postoffice appropriation bill was then taken up.

The Senate bill authorizing the construction of a railway upon the Government reservation at Fortress Monroe, Va., was taken from the calendar and passed. The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of the agricultural appropriation bills. Mr. Paddock tried to amend by inserting the pure food bill, but was unsuccessful. The bill was then passed and the general deficiency bill taken up and carried over to the evening session.

The House.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—[Special]—In the House the Senate amendments to the Indian appropriation bill were non-concurred in. A message of good will from the government of Brazil was presented and read. Mr. Cushman moved to non-concur in the Senate amendments to the army reorganization bill. Referred to the military committee. Bills to erect a new mint at Philadelphia and a new custom house at New York were railroaded through. The copyright bill for a second time and the postoffice appropriation bill were sent to conference.

Mr. Wright's Funeral.

The funeral of the late George W. Wright will take place this morning from Greene Memorial Church. The obsequies will be conducted by the Odd Fellows, who will meet this morning at 9:30 o'clock. The remains will be interred in the City Cemetery.

JAMES A. PUGH.

From the Roanoke Evening World.
Mr. James A. Pugh, editor of the Herald, has resigned the position to accept one on the staff of the DAILY TIMES, and will enter on his new duties Monday. Mr. Pugh was one of the founders of the first-named paper and has been the editor ever since it started. He is an energetic worker, a good writer and a thorough newspaper man in every respect. THE TIMES is fortunate in being able to secure his services.

From the Richmond News.
On March 1st Mr. James A. Pugh, who has edited the Roanoke Herald since January, 1889, leaves that paper to accept a position on THE TIMES, of the same place. Mr. Pugh is an earnest and untiring worker for the advancement of the South, and the newspaper reading public will congratulate itself upon the fact that, although he makes a change, he does not leave Roanoke. He has our best wishes for his success.

From the Graham Herald.
Our friend, Mr. James A. Pugh, who has made a reputation for journalistic ability and vim as editor of the Roanoke Herald, announces in a circular letter his proposed retirement from that position on the 1st proximo and his connection with the ROANOKE TIMES from that date. Wherever Mr. Pugh exerts his energies in the field of newspaper enterprise his influence will be felt, and we wish him luck and prosperity in his new field.

From the Lundy Times.
Mr. James A. Pugh, one of the original founders and since its organization editor-in-chief of the Roanoke Herald, has tendered his resignation to take effect the 1st proximo, having accepted a position with THE ROANOKE TIMES. Mr. Pugh, in our humble opinion, in which a majority of the leading members of the Virginia press concur, stands in the front ranks of Virginia journalism as one of the ablest, most fearless and at the same time fairest minded men in the profession. As a promoter of the great development that has made Roanoke a thriving city and which has and is transforming our old State into a beehive of manufactures and bustling towns, he has done his part more than any other single individual that we know of, ably, intelligently and without a tinge of partiality, and the manner in which he has shown up Virginia's resources of natural wealth has resulted in attracting the attention of capitalists in all parts of the country, who have invested in Roanoke and the other industrial centers of our State millions.

As the organizer and president of the Virginia Press Association he is doing another great work.

We congratulate THE ROANOKE TIMES in securing the services of so able and valuable a man.

THE BUILDERS MEET.

By-laws Adopted and Other Matters Discussed.

A meeting of the contractors and builders was held last night in the Thomas building near the courthouse, C. C. Shockey, president, presiding.

The committee on by-laws made a report in which they submitted a set of by-laws, which were laid over for consideration. The name adopted by the organization is the "Master Builders Association of Roanoke."

Several firms made application for membership, and with those elected last night the membership now numbers thirteen firms or twenty-two members. The recent demands made by the Carpenters and Joiners were discussed, but no definite action was taken. It was decided that on next meeting night some definite action would be taken in reference to certain important matters. They were not opposed to paying good wages and were willing to give good mechanics fair pay for their work.

HE DIDN'T WALK OUT.

Nathaniel Gardner Fined \$5 for Leaving Part of His Clothes in a Cell.

Nathaniel Gardner, who broke jail February 9th, having been locked up on the charge of being drunk on Railroad avenue, and was subsequently captured in Lynchburg, and brought back, was arraigned before the mayor yesterday morning. Gardner said that after being locked up he sobered up, and seeing a hole in the cell walked out. He didn't know where he was.

"You walked out?"
"Yes boss, a hole was dar, sho!"
It was proved that Nat. sawed out with a piece of coal scuttle, and crept through a hole not quite large enough for his size, and left a portion of his clothing behind.

The mayor fined him \$13.60.
The Y. M. C. A. Literary Society.
The Young Men's Literary and Debating Society will hold an adjourned meeting this evening at 8 o'clock, at which time Prof. Thom will deliver another lecture upon Tennyson's Princess. Young men who wish to improve themselves in literary achievements and information should take a deep interest in this movement.

The Military Academy Bill a Law.
WASHINGTON, March 2.—[Special]—The President this afternoon signed the military academy appropriation bill and the naval appropriation bill.

SPRING
Announcement.

Special attention is called to the large and complete line of spring and summer suitings, fancy vestings, trousers and overcoatings imported by me direct.

Thanking my patrons for past favors and soliciting a continuance,

I am, very truly

D. F. GEYER,

The Tailor.

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Spring Season, 1891.

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First grand opening of

Dress Stuffs,

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday,

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Our assortment in fabrics of every sort is just as complete as can be found in larger cities, and ladies will be able to find almost any shade in any of the popular fabrics in our stock.

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New things in counterpanes, table linens and house furnishings of all kinds at very close prices.

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Heironimus & Brugh.

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12 lots on Albermarle street, Lewis Addition.

12 lots on Tosh street, Lewis Addition.

10 lots on Mountain street.

25 lots on Commerce street.

30 lots on Jefferson street.

30 lots on Clarke street.

100 lots in West End.

100 lots in Janette Addition.

50 choice business lots on Campbell and Jefferson streets and Salem avenue.

3 fine residences on Jefferson street.

2 first-class houses on Eighth avenue for sale or rent.

2 desirable houses on Tazewell street for sale or rent.

1 fine 12-room house on Church street for sale.

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A level tract of four hundred acres of land, lying on both sides of the railroads, and on the James River as well, with just fall enough (twenty-five feet) to give good drainage, has been reserved for manufacturing purposes. Not only are selected sites from this reservation offered free to responsible parties locating manufacturing establishments at Buchanan, but the CENTRAL LAND COMPANY OF BUCHANAN is desirous of investing in such establishments as give promise of success. It is especially anxious to secure New England skill, and the minor industries that have been so successful in New England.

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MOUNTAIN VIEW LAND COMPANY

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held in the office of the Secretary, February 27, 1891, the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, That a dividend of 12½ per cent. is hereby declared upon the capital stock of the Mountain View Land Company, payable to stockholders of record on the 15th day of March, 1891.

Transfer books of the company to be closed March 5, 1891, and to be reopened March 20, 1891.

marl-3t WM. F. WINCH, Sec'y.

Roanoke Opera House.

THURSDAY, MARCH 5th.

Matinee at 3:30 p. m.; evening at 8 p. m.



Engagement of the world renowned and original

Mrs. Gen. Tom Thumb,

The smallest comedians in the world,

Count and Baron Magri,

And a select vaudeville company of European and American specialties, and the Antipodean annex.

Ogawa's Troup of Royal Japanese.

Prices of admission—Matinee, 25c and 50c; evening, 25c, 50c and 75c. Reserved seats can be had for either performance. No extra charge.

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